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Composition: Explication

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**16.1 Choose the best word**

MY SENTENCE: Beauty only lasts so long and while it is here, the narrator suggests that they he and the virgin make the most out of the time they have together.

EXPLANATION: Choose the best word because Mr. Lane says so.

REVISED EXAMPLE: Beauty only lasts for a limited time and while it is here, the narrator suggests that they he and the virgin make the most out of the time they have together.

ORIGINAL EXAMPLE: I believe that Chris Paul is the best point guard in the NBA.